

Continuation-in-part of U.S.S.N. 08/660,487  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

--continuation-in-part of copending Application Serial No. 08/660,487, filed June 7, 1996, by  
A1 Kate Dora Games, Dale B. Schenk, Lisa C. McConlogue, Peter A. Seubert and Russell E.  
Rydel, which is a--.

On page 1, line 4, following "No. 08/480,653." please insert

--This application is also a continuation-in-part of copending Application Serial No.  
08/486,538, filed June 7, 1995, and a continuation-in-part of copending Application Serial  
A2 No. 08/659,797, filed June 7, 1996. Application Serial No. 08/660,487, filed June 7, 1996,  
Application Serial No. 08/480,653, filed June 7, 1995, Application Serial No. 08/486,538,  
filed June 7, 1995, and Application Serial No. 08/659,797, filed June 7, 1996, are all hereby  
incorporated herein by reference.--.

On page 28, line 1, before "A preferred APP," please insert

--Combination cDNA/genomic expression clones include (1) nucleic acid constructs  
A3 containing a combination of APP cDNA encoding exons 1-6 and 9-18 and genomic APP  
sequences encoding introns 6, 7 and 8, and exons 7 and 8, and (2) nucleic acid constructs  
that do not contain a combination of APP cDNA encoding exons 1-6 and 9-18 and genomic  
APP sequences encoding introns 6, 7 and 8, and exons 7 and 8.--.

### In the Claims

Please amend the claims as follows.

1. (Amended) A method for testing compounds for an effect on an Alzheimer's  
disease marker comprising

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